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TO HELP ALEXANDRIA

Business Men to Hold Important Meeting on Friday Night of Next Week—Addresses to be Made by Speakers From Various Cities.

The movement inaugurated at the meeting held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce last night, which was attended by a large number of the representative business men of the city, is one that should heartily commend itself to every resident who has the best interests of Alexandria at heart. The movement referred to, in brief, is to take such action as will insure a broader service and greater activity in meeting the present and future growth of Alexandria.

While the members of the Chamber of Commerce have done all that was possible for them to do, under the circumstances, in past years, all have felt that more might be accomplished for the city under other conditions. With that end in view a special committee was appointed by President Robert L. Payne to make such investigations as it deemed necessary, and at last night's meeting the committee submitted its report which was promptly and unanimously adopted.

As a result a meeting will be held in the Elks' Home on Prince street, on Friday night of next week, to which every business man of the city is cordially invited, also the members of the City Council. Mr William T. Dabney, of the city of Richmond, Mr. D. B. Ryland, of the Lynchburg Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Marion Willis and Mr. C. P. Kline, of the Fredericksburg Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. John Wood, of Roanoke, have been invited to deliver addresses at that meeting, and a representative of the Town Development Company, Inc., of New York city will also be present.

Previous to the meeting a "smoker" will be enpoyed for about an hour which will be entirely informal and for the purpose of getting together and discussing present conditions.

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The time has come when unity of action on the part of the various commercial interests of the city is both essential and necessary if Alexandria is to make the most of the opportunities now presented to it, and it is with that end in view that the Chamber of Commerce has taken action along the lines as above indicat-

The cities of Fredericksburg, Lynchburg, Roanoke and others that might be named, have been aided much by their Chambers of Commerce and the united "pulling together" of their various business interests.

Alexandria would do well to imitate the example set by the business men in those cities and govern itself accordingly.

The opportunity is here. Shall she take advantage of it?

It remains for the business men of Alexandria to say. The result of th meeting to be held on Friday nigh next may give the answer. Every business man in the city should be there. Let no other engagement interfere.

Washington, Feb. 2.—For selling 2,800 pounds of sugar to twenty-eight employees the Canton, Ohio, branch of the General Baking Company, has been fined $3,000, the food administration announces, and that money has been paid to the war funds of the Red Cross, Y. M. C. A. and Knights of Columbus.

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NOTICE TO MERCHANTS

Judge C. E. Nicol, Food Administrator for Alexandria, Makes Announcement to Business Men.

Judge C. E. Nicol, food administrator for the city of Alexandria, has issued the following announcement to the merchants and business men of the city:

To The Merchants of Alexandria.

I have received the following communication from Col. E. B. White, Federal Food Administrator for Virginia. The merchants of Alexandria will please take notice of the following notice as to closing on next Monday:

"To Local Food Administrators, Gentlemen:

I have requested the Federal Fuel Administrator for the State of Virginia to allow all merchants, wholesale and retail, dealing in essential foods to remain open on the Monday holidays until noon; that they shall close at noon promptly.

I would request that you so notify your dealers and compel compliance. I would suggest that merchants remain closed all day Monday as a patriotic duty, if they feel that in doing so the non supplying of food to their customers will cause no hardships. This is being done voluntarily in some of the cities and towns of the State.

Manufacturers of essential foods containers for these, agricultural implements, fertilizers and binder twines and insecticides are exempted

Yours Faithfully,

E. B. White.

P. S. The Fuel Administrator has approved of this. Please see that it is complied with.'"

I desire also to call the attention of dealers in wheat and all food supplies to the regulations provided by the United States Food Administration for the conservation of wheat and also the regulations in regard to prices to be charged by food dealers. These regulations apply to millers, wholesale and retail grocers and also jobbers. These regulations can be seen by applying at my office in the Alexandria National Bank Building.

C. E. Nicol,
Local Food Administrator

WANTS GENERAL PEACE.

Extracts From Significant Speech In the German Reichstag.

The committee on Public Information has received the following excerpts from speeches in the debate in the German Reichstag January 26:

Herr Naumann, author of "Mittel Europa," said: "The German government must roundly declare that it seeks no sort of annexation."

Herr Ledebour, joint leader with Haase of the Independent Socialist: "Again has an opportunity been neglected to satisfy the world's longing for peace. It is plain that a step backward has been taken, and that the political authorities have completely adopted the military view of the Conservatives. We want general peace on a democratic foundation. The creation of the Kingdom of Poland was a tremendous mistake. The German government must give up its false methods and we shall soon have peace in the East. Militarism has won the day, and the proletariat must force peace on the basis of the reconciliation of all nations.

Herr Haase, leader of the Independent Socialists: "The German negotiators are not playing a square game. The occupied territory is still a part of Russia, and the people cannot freely express their will so long as foreign troops are present. Hertling's remarks on Belgium are unsatisfactory. It is necessary to say that the economic and military independence of Belgium will be restored. Such a statement would greatly stimulate the place desire of the English workers.

"Is it that Hertling is yielding to the wishes of Hindenburg and Ludendorff when they threatened resignation? If so, the coming offensive is to serve to bring about a pan-German peace by force Threads have already been spun between Austria and America."

Foreign Minister von Kuehlmann: "The discussions of the last two days have yielded a treasure of thought and points of view, Count Czernin takes the same position that I do."

Alexandria City and Suburbs

There were no cases for trial in the Police Court this morning.

The Whatsoever Circle of Kings Daughters of Grace Episcopal church will meet on Monday at 7:30 p. m., at 118 south Royal street.

Mr. J. H. Summers, teacher in the Alexandria High school, has resigned his position to take ecect at once. He has been acting as teacher there for the past three years and recently as instructor in latin. It is stated that he has accepted a position in Emerson Institute in Washington.

The class in elementary hygiene and home nursing, Alexandria Chapter of the Red Cross, will meet on Tuesday evening next at 8 o'clock in the Confederate Veterans hall on Prince street. Both the afternoon and evening sections will meet at that time and it is important that everyone who expects to take the course be present as the books will be distributed and the lessons assigned.

Communion service will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow at the Methodist Protestant church, At 3 oclock in the afternoon there will be a union meeting of the Northern Virginia Christian Endeavor Union. The speaker will be Mr. Karl Lehman, secretary of the Southern States Christian Endeavor. The subject at the service in the evening of Rev. Raymond W. White will be "The Unsaved Man."

Last night the hall of the young People's building was filled with a large audience which assembled in happy anticipation of a pleasure they knew would be theirs in the illustrated lecture given by Mr. Robert S. Barrett. With the assistance of many beautiful colored views he graphically took his audience with him through his travels of twelve months through South America. Starting from Panama he went down the western coast, stopping at all the important cities and at the northern part of Chili he crossed the continent and returned home on the eastern shore. Mr. Barrett. in his clear and forceful presentation, interspersed with humor, held the closest attention. He touched upon city after city in quick succession and also showed the wonderful beauty of the country through which he traveled. It was with regret that the audience saw the last view shown upon the screen and heard him give his words of farewell to Alexandria. Within a few days he will leave on another trip to South America at the request of the government to continue his work there. That his last hours here should be spent in public service is deeply appreciated by all and the school nurse's fund will be largely increased from the proceeds of the lecture. The Cameron Club takes this opportunity to make due acknowledgement to Mr Barrett and to wish him God-speed on his mission and a safe return to his home town.

There will be a meeting of the local War Camp Community committee this evening at 8 o'clock at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce.

Rev. Van Ness, pastor of the Free Methodist church, will preach tomorrow at 11 o'clock. Services will be held in the church. Sunday school will be at 10 o'clock.

A telegram has just been received from Richmond stating that the annual Sunday school convention which was to have been held there February fifth to seventh has been postponed until April ninth.

The subject of the morning sermon of Rev. Dr. E. B. Jackson at the First Baptist church tomorrow at 11 o'clock will be "The world that is being remade today." In the evening he will speak on "People whom Jesus Praised."

Services will be held at Christ church tomorrow at 11 o'clock a. m., and 7:30 p. m., conducted by the rector, Rev. W. J. Morton. At the night service the series of sermons will be continued on the "Unrecorded Sayings of Christ."

The funeral services of Alfred R. Florence took place yesterday afternoon from his late home on the Telegraph road, near this city. The services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. S. A. Wallis, and burial was in Ivy Hill Cemetery.

The Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison will preach at the Second Presbyterian church tomorrow at 11 o'clock, taking for his theme "Vision of Spiritual Union." His subject in the evening will be of an evangelistic character. The other regular services of the Sunday school and Christian Endeavor will be held at the usual hours.

Services at Trinity Methodist church tomorrow will be as follows: Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. A. E. Spielman, at 11 o'clock, subject, "The Tyranny of Type, or form of Worship Against the Spirit of Worship." His topic in the evening at 7:45 will be "Quench not the Spirit."

Captain Herbert D. Young and wife have returned to Alexandria to reside for a time. It will be remembered that they were in charge of the local branch of the Salvation Army and last October were transferred to Portsmouth, Va., where Capt. Young suffered from nervous breakdown and was advised by his physician to give up the Salvation Army work for at least a year, which he will do. In the meantime he expects to be employed at the Remschel Auto Company's place on North Fairfax street.

Frank Ludlow of 228 north Patrick street, has returned from a trip to Anniston, Alabama, where he visited his two brothers who are in Company H of the 116th U. S. Infantry at Camp McClellan.

Cards bearing the following have been issued by the Alexandria Chamber of Commerce which will be posted in various public places: "If you buy out of the city, and I buy out of the city, what will become of this city?"

The funeral of Margaret Ida Crilly, aged three years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Crilly, who died at their home, 525 south Fairfax street, on Thursday, was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the house. Rev. L. Kelly of St. Mary's Catholic church officiated and the interment was in St. Mary's cemetery.

Members of the J. R. N. Curtin Memorial Baraca class and their friends desiring to attend the Billy Sunday meeting in Washington tomorrow afternoon are requested to meet at the corner of Prince and Royal streets at 12:40 p. m., where a special car will be furnished for the occasion. Seats at the tabernacle will not be held later than 1:45

Herbert D. Young, jr., the little seven-year old son of Captain and Mrs. Herbert D. Young, died this morning at the Alexandria hospital from pneumonia. His remains will be removed to Demaine's mortuary chapel and the funeral will be held from the home of Mrs. Young's mother in Washington on Monday at half-past two o'clock, Rev. E. V. Regester of this city officiating. The remains will be interred in that city.

Through the courtesy of R. C. Acton and Sons, the Red Cross melting pot now displayed in Acton's window, will be given one more week to still further gather in contributions from those, that so far, have not contributed. The mail brings in contributions and this week a large box containing a miscellaneous collection of metal was received by parcel post. The Red Cross chapter expects next week to be the "banner week," so let every one take a generous contribution to the melting pot.

William E. Payne and F. A. Keating of the prohibition department of the State, this afternoon stopped an automobile while it was proceeding south a short distance from Hunting Creek bridge and upon investigation found it was literally loaded with bottled liquor. S. W. Lemon and his wife were the occupants of the machine. It was taken to the station house where 264 pint bottles were taken from the machine, 11 quart bottles of wine and 24 bottles of beer. A special session of the Police Court was held, and the man and woman held for the action of the grand jury.

Amual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Alexandria Hospital will be held Monday evening, February 4th, 1918, at 8 o'clock, at the Burke and Herbert Bank cor. King and Fairfax street for the election of officers and transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

Arthur Herbert, jr.
Sec'y-Treasurer Alexandria Hospital, Alexandria, Va.

BATTLING AGAINST ICE.

Flood Conditions Along Middle Valleys Continue Bad.

Memphis, Feb. 2.—A battle with water and ice such as seldom has been experienced before in the history of the Mississippi River was being waged by rivermen last night Shipping, worth millions of dollars, was endangered. Already more than a score of big steamboats and smaller craft have gone to the bottom. For 500 miles, from Cairo, Ill., to Natchez Miss., the river is choked with ice At Richardson's Landing, fifty miles above Memphis, a great ice gorge broke Thursday night, sending huge floes tearing down the stream, threatening everything before them.

Cincinnati, Feb. 2.—With the river at 61.1 and stationary, eleven feet above the flood line, Cincinnati has felt the worst of the present flood, but with a thaw predicted for the next few days, it is said, the Ohio Valley flood peril will be increased. Ice gorges down the river are beginning to weaken, and probably will break early today.

Many marooned families have been removed to safety by Home Guards Two babies were born in the flooded area today, one of them while its mother was being removed from her home in a skiff.

FALLS KILL TWO FLIERS.

Capt. De Witt J. Payne and Cadet Rundle Lose Lives in Texas.

Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 2.—Capt. De Witt J. Payne, of New York, commanding the 182d aero squadron, died yesterday from injuries received several days ago when he fell during flight.

Cadet G. K. Rundle, of the royal flying corps, was killed by a fall of 1,000 feet late yesterday. His home was at St. Marys, Ont.

Alexandria's New Store.

Turn to the fourth page and read the announcement of Downham and Ridgely, proprietors of Alexandria's new gents' furnishing goods store, recently opened at the corner of King and Pitt streets. The various lines of goods will be found up-to-date, the prices right, and courteous treatment invariably the rule, with "money back if not satisfied" the motto that will be followed.

FOUR DEAD IN WRECK.

Memphis Special and Freight Train in Head-On Collision on Norfolk And Western.

Roanoke, Va., Feb. 2.—Four men were killed, two trainmen injured and several passengers shaken up in a head-on collision between the Memphis special and a westbound Norfolk and Western freight train, ten miles west of Radford Wednesday night about 10:30 o'clock.

The wreck is said to have been caused by failure of the freight engineer to observe instructions.

The dead reported are: Engineer J. H. Smith, of the Memphis Special, of Bristol, Va.,; Freight Engineer C. A. Jacobson, of Roanoke, Va.; Freight Fireman H. C. Hoyle, of Roanoke, Va.; Elbert Taylor, colored, brakeman of Bristol, Va.

J. R. Mason, engineer on the second engine of the Memphis Special was injured by getting the toes on one of his feet cut off. A fireman was scalded.

Notice.

Having qualified as Executrix of Sarah Florence Slaymaker, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement with me, and all persons to whom said estate is indebted are requested to present their accounts properly certified for payment.

Mary E. Slaymaker,
29-10t. 518 Duke Street, Alex.

ADVANCE THEIR LINE

Suddenly Attacked at Dawn The Italians Force the Enemy Back.

Rome, Feb. 2.—The Austrians Thursday attacked on the Asiago plateau in an attempt to drive the Italians from their newly won position on Monte Di Wal Bella, the War Office announces. The enemy however, was unable to reach the Italian line.

The Italians by a sudden attack at dawn Thursday advanced their lines as far as the head of the Telago valley in this sector.

Italian Headquarters in Northern Italy, Feb. 2.—The splendid success gained by the Italian troops in two days of fighting west of the Brenta River has been maintained at all points and the area of newly occupied territory is being organized rapidly.

As the Italian brigades, which took part in the fighting reassembled, it developed that their losses were comparatively small, the aggregate being considerably less than the number of prisoners taken from the enemy.

But the enemy losses were extremely heavy as is shown by the number of dead left on the field and the reports of prisoners. It is estimated that the total enemy loss without counting the prisoners taken by the Italians was between 5,000 and 6,000.

Throughout the Italian army the troops have been stimulated by the success in the Asiago area and the Italian triumph is taken to show the really formidable and aggressive spirit of the new forces. A considerable part of the troops engaged were of the classes last called to the colors, including some 19 years old.

St. Mary's Academy.

The second session at St. Mary's Academy began yesterday, February the first. Mid-year examinations were held during the past week and reports of same will be read in the Assembly Hall on Monday. A new class in stenography will be formed in the Commercial department during the early part of next week. Any who expect to join this class should report on Monday next as no other beginners' class will be formed this year.

A class of forty in parliamentary law, taught by Mrs. E. Towne, of Washington is held at St. Mary's every Tuesday evening.

A "first aid" class of thirty-five or forty members has been organized under Dr. Gorman and meets every Friday afternoon in the Assembly Hall.

A chapter of the junior red cross school auxiliary is being formed at St. Mary's for the making of refugee garments, etc.

This month's activities of St. Mary's Swatiska Club have taken the form of an original game called "Over the Top." Credits are given for "going over the top" of a four-foot snow fort and capturing a flag from the other side. At the closing game on Friday the score stood fifteen to ten in favor of the red team. Miss Emma Hubbard of Washington is captain of the red team and Miss Louise Robinson of Philadelphia of the black team.

NEW SUGAR ARRIVES.

Eight and Half Cents Pound Fair, Says the Administrator.

White granulated sugar should not retail at a price higher than 8 1-2 cents a pound in Washington, according to an announcement yesterday by District Food Administrator Clarence R. Wilson. This price, he said, will allow the dealer to make a profit of about one-fourth of a cent per pound, and he will be held strictly to that price. If dealers are reported charging more Mr. Wilson can have all future supplies cut off.

New crop sugar is arriving in Washington in sufficient quantities to supply every reasonable demand. The new schedule under which the Eastern refiners are operating fixes the price of white granulated sugar at $7.25 per 100 pounds at the refinery.

White granulated sugar, in 1 and 2 pound packages, Mr. Wilson said, should not sell above 9 cents per pound. Louisiana clarified should retail at about 8 1-4 cents per pound.

MUNICH JOINS STRIKE

Locomotive Workers in Berlin Also Said to be Affected by the Trouble.

London, Feb. 2.—Hunger will stalk through Germany today—the Kaiser's ally is bending his striking subjects to his will.

Thousands of women and children, innocent victims of the German militarists' demonstration, will starve with the workers into submission, coming under the governmental order to reduce strikers' rations, effective today.

The order was contained in Berlin dispatches, received through Zurich.

Back of this Kaiserist famine is the supreme war council's poorly-veiled threat to massacre German citizens indiscriminately, if other methods fail to put down the strike. The threat, in forbidding public meetings or gathering of crowds was couched in the words:

"If necessary to resort to arms, no distinction will be made between strikers and others."

Several casualties occurred Thursday in Charlottenburg, where 100,000 strikers participated in a bread riot, according to the Amsterdam Tyd.

Mounted police, ordering the crowds to disperse, were fired upon. They charged the demonstrators with drawn swords.

Organized street fighting resulted, the strikers resisting from behind improvised barricades. A number of strikers and policemen were wounded.

London, Feb. 2.—A three days' strike has been declared in Munich, according to a Central News dispatch from Amsterdam yesterday. In Berlin, the dispatch adds, the Orenstein and Koppel Locomotive Works employes have joined the strike movement. Martial law has been extended to Bremen and Hemelingen, a nearby town, according to reports received here.

The Vorwaerts, of Berlin, in announcing its suppression for three days, says this step was taken because it incited to a mass strike. Strikers have broken out in two more Dortmund mines. The strikers at Nuremburg, Bavaria, have resumed work after a two days' demonstration strike.

The Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung says that the shipyard hands at Dantzig struck Tuesday. The strike began in the Schichau yard and the strikers were joined by 4,000 workers in the Government yards. Up to Wednesday the workers in the arms and artillery plants at Dantzig had remained at work.

The general commanding the Leipzig district has posted placards in that city threatening to send all the strikers to the fighting front.

It is reported that the German Government up to this time has prevented the strike from extending to the railways and tramways and the workers employed in the production and distribution of food.

FARMER KILLED.

Fatal Termination of Trouble Between Deceased and Postmaster.

Roanoke, Va., Feb. 2.—J. D. Basham, postmaster of Laurel Branch, on the Potts valley branch of the Norfolk and Western, and a large lumber dealer of that section, shot and instantly killed Floyd Williams, a farmer, who resided near Laurel Branch, Wednesday.

It is said the trouble arose over a neighborhood difficulty. Basham accused Williams of stealing a single-tree that belonged to one of his drivers. Williams denied that he had the single-tree and the two men nearly came to blows. Williams reached for a large stick and Basham retired to his room and immediately returned and shot Williams twice, once in the back and once in the head. Williams fell from the steps of Basham's home, having died instantly. It is said that jealousy had existed between the men for some time.

What Would You Do?

If you had a million dollars what would you do with it? A prize of $5 will be given to the writer of the best answer to the question. Address your letter to P. O. Box 101, Alexandria, Va., Prize awarded Feb. 8th. 27-3t

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LEST WE FORGET.

Let others hail the rising sun
We bow to that whose course is run.

The new governor of Virginia, as well as the new Lieutenant Governor, were inducted into office yesterday, and at night the usual inaugural ball was held.

We have read the address of Westmoreland Davis, and feel satisfied that the new Governor will devote his undivided attention to the principles he has set forth and to the interests, of the State. Among other things, he announces his aversion to the creation of unnecessary offices, and pledges himself to preside over the destinies of the state with the firm purpose to operate the commonwealth as economically as possible.

The new Governor means well, and we are sure he will receive the hearty support of all interested in the welfare of the Old Dominion.

But we cannot let this opportunity slip without saying something in reference to Henry C Stuart and J. Taylor Ellyson, who up to noon yesterday were Governor and Lieutenant Governor of Virginia. The Richmond Times-Dispatch, very properly calls attention to the fact that to the outgoing Governor Virginia is indebted for a wise, businesslike administration of its affairs. He has measured up to every opportunity, and today he ranks among those who have served their State faithfully and well. In the span of his governorship Virginia has gone forward, and many changes from the old order have been wrought. During his tenure of office the tax system was revolutionized and made acceptable to modern thought and methods, this perhaps constituting his greatest single achievement. State-wide prohibition became a reality, and for this he signed the enabling act. Moral conditions were cleaned up, and Hopewell and the Jamestown race course ceased to be blots on an otherwise fair name. To him also is due in large share the successful mobilization of Virginia's troops when the Federal government called, and his was the creation of the Council of Defense which did such a splendid work in putting the State on a practical war footing. Mr. Stuart has been a peoples Governor, easy to access and ever ready to listlisten with sympathetic ear. His place in the State's affections and in its history will forever rest on a solid foundation of merit.

The state senate spent a good part of Thursday, the last day of the service of Lieutenant-Governor Ellyson in paying tribute to the character and achievement of that gentleman, who yesterday laid aside the cares of public life after a service of half a century. Senator Strode offered a resolution referring to the long career of Mr. Ellyson which was adopted by a rising vote, every member of the senate coming to his feet as Senator Walker submitted the resolution to the senate.

When Mr. Ellyson arose to reply for the first time that can be recalled his emotions momentarily got the better of him. He hesitated for perhaps two minutes, his voice at first inaudible. Soon, however, his wonted composure reasserted itself and he made perhaps the best speech of his life. He said that in looking back over his entry into public life it covered half a century. He had always taken a keen interest in public affairs, deemed that a duty he owed to his state and country, and he proposed to do that so long as he lived. He said that he was a student at the University of Virginia; his father told him to come to Richmond and register, and he did that standing between two federal bayonets. He had no regret at the time he had given his state, beginning as a Confederate soldier down to this day. He had served in the council of the city, had been for sixteen years on the school board, for twenty-five years identified with Richmond college, served as mayor of the city, being the first executive to occupy the offices at the City Hall, and was the first lieutenant-governor to preside in the present senate chamber. He had enjoyed and appreciated the friendship and kindly regard of the members of the senate and expressed delight at the action of the senate in making record of his public service.

GERMANS FEEL MAILED FIST.

Three and a half years ago the German people were no doubt united on the war aims of the Kaiser. They had been taught (that is the present generation) that Germany was invincible, and through this hypnotism were convinced that Prussianism should encircle the globe. They are not so obscessed at present, and after forty-odd months of ruthlessness the sensible Teutons, realizing that the Fatherland is being bankrupted, while millions of men have been killed, and the bulk of the nation is facing starvation, demand peace of their rulers. At the lowest estimate one million men and women are now on a strike. The mailed fist, which dealt so cruelly with the Belgians and slaughtered helpless men in the swamps of Russia, is now turned upon the German people. The latter now stand in awe, while bristling bayonets and starvation confront them.

According to dispatches, doubtless closely censured, the military have the situation in hand, and Hindenburg, the modern Attila, stands ready to slaughter unmercifully men or women who have the temerity to call their lives their own.

Students of French history see that conditions in Germany today are akin to those in the days of Louis XVI. At first the military succeeded in defending the king, and in doing so many well-meaning people were slaughtered. But, as is often said in church history, the blood of the martyrs was the seed of the church.

Some persons have been killed in Germany during the past few days. Their blood, we believe, will be the seed of a revolution which will eventually sweep the Hohenzollerns and the pan-Germans from their pedestals. What has happened before is liable to happen again.

"The advance of democracy has tremendously strengthened internal defensive power," as Scheidemann has remarked. It has, indeed, and the Nemesis for the kaiser is taking form in the revolt of his own people who, it is logical to suppose, will act toward him with the brutality and mercilessness he himself has so well taught them.

PREPARING THE GROUND.

While the weather is unpropitious, work preliminary to the erection of buildings and preparing the ground for the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation in the southeastern section of the city progresses. Many workmen are employed in laying a spur track upon the reclaimed ground in front of what was known as Battery Rodgers, during the civil war, and in getting ready for more extensive operations when the weather shall have become milder.

Owners of certain houses in that vicinity have been notified to remove the same as early as possible in order that the company may experience no delays later. These structures have long been situated in places looked upon a year ago as the most uninviting in the precincts of Alexandria. In some cases they are located upon ground which is, in reality, in what will soon be the eastern termini of streets when these heretofore neglected thoroughfares shall have been opened. Those occupying the houses had no more thought they would ever be disturbed than the frogs in the contiguous marshes.

As has been announced by the government officials, Jones's Point lighthouse may be abolished within a short time, as the change in the river front, the effect of filling in the cove, renders that light unnecessary to mariners It is also said that the shipbuilding company purposes to erect an office on the end of Jones's Point. In the latter part of the forties a small frame house stood on the point where a fort stood a century ago.

ANOTHER HEATLESS MONDAY.

McAdoo and Garfield Plan to Suspend Fuel Order.

Abandonment of the heatless Monday program after its enforcement next Monday was predicted last night at the close of a prolonged conference between Fuel Administrator Garfield and Director General McAdoo.

A final decision was not reached and a further conference will be held Tuesday, but there was every indication that both officials, as well as President Wilson, who has been consulted, feel that the purpose sought can be accomplished from now on by continuance of preferential coal transportation and distribution and by railroad embargoes now in force.

RECALLS ATTACHES.

Argentinian Representatives Ordered to Leave Berlin and Vienna.

Buenos Aires, Feb. 2.—The minister of war has recalled Argentina's military attaches from Berlin and Vienna. In political circles this action is regarded as significant and connected with the sinking of the Argentine steamer Ministro Irriendo January 26.

The Argentine minister to France has confirmed the fact that the steamship was flying the Argentine flag when sunk. The government has not announced by what authority the change of flags was made after leaving this country—the vessel having sailed under the French flag—but accepts the sinking as an unfriendly act, even though the use of the home flag was unauthorized. The assumption in political circles here is that Germany does not intend to keep her promises in regard to Argentina's shipping.

The situation here is tense and the authorities are maintaining more than their usual silence on the subject, but several events at the government house late today lead to the belief that the government at last is preparing to take an important step.

WANTS REPARATION.

Alfonso Sends Protest Direct to Berlin Over Head of Madrid Envoy.

Madrid, Feb. 2. — The cabinet met Thursday under the presidency of King Alfonso and decided to send a strong protest to Germany, demanding reparation to Spain for the sinking of the steamship Giralda. The note will not be sent through Prince von Ratibor, the German Ambassador, but will be telegraphed to the Spanish Ambassador in Berlin.

It is assumed in political circles that the note to Germany will insist on a formal declaration by the German government that Spanish ships engaged in coastwise trade will be respected.

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Double Size Wool-nap Blanket, in white, plaids or tan; closely woven and well finished. Pair, $5.00.

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Extra Size Embroidered Scalloped Crochet White Quilt, with cutout corners. Especially suitable for metal bed. Each, $3.50.

Fourth Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.

Annual Meeting

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Fidelity Storage Company will be held at its office 322 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, Wednesday, February 13 1918, at 3 o'clock.

20-12t. P. H. Smyth, Secretary.

INAUGURAL BALL.

Festive Scenes Incident to Induction Into Office of New Governor.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 2.—Richmond's social set, as well as many of the society leaders of other Virginia cities last night participated in the inaugural ball, a fitting climax to the day when Westmoreland Davis was inaugurated the fifty-fifth governor of Virginia. The inaugural reception took place in the stately old mansion which for generations has been the home of governors.

Westmoreland Davis was made governor at noon yesterday in the State capitol in the presence of a small crowd, including many officers from Camp Lee who gained admission by cards. Severe snow and sleet storms the past week have made marching difficult in Richmond streets, and the usual military functions were dispensed with.

Inaugural exercises opened with prayer by the Right Rev. Robert A. Gibson, bishop of Virginia Episcopal Church, after which the oath of office was administered by Judge Stafford C. Whittle, prsident of the supreme court of appeals. This was followed by the salute from the howitzer guns in Capitol square.

In his address Gov. Davis urged greater economy and efficiency, impressed the need of an executive budget system, proposed a State purchasing agent and opposed the creation of new political offices. He also advocated election of Supreme court judges by popular vote. Gov. Davis urged the fostering of the schools and the education of the masses, and declared that one of his aims would be to see that the affairs of the commonwealth are economically administered without fear and without favor.

Benjamin F. Buchanan, of Smyth County was inaugurated lieutenant governor. the oath being administered by Judge Martin P. Burk, of the supreme court.

THE WASHINGTON VIRGINIA RAILWAY CO.

In effect June 23, 1915.
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Leave Alexandria For Washington—Daily Except Sundays and Holidays.
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P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 20, 11 55.
Sunday and Holidays, same as above, except trains at 5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 10, 7 20, 7 50, and 8 10 A. M. and 11 55 P. M.
Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon.
A. M.—Week Days—5 35, 6 55, 7 55, 8 55, 10 30, 11 30.—P. M.—12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 35, 6 40, 7 35, 9 10 20, 11 50.
Sunday as above except 8 35 and 9 55 A. M. and 11 50 P. M.

Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule in effect Jan. 13, 1918.

For Washington and points north daily 8:08, 9:13, 9:28, 11:38, a. m., 12:13, 1:18, 1:33, 2:03, (Through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 4:33, 9:13, 11:33 p. m.

Week days only 6:08 p. m. Saturdays only 4:45 p. m., and Sundays only 8:18 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:37, 7:52 (local) and 9:47, a. m. 12:07, 2:47, 5:17 (local), 6:17, 7:02, 8:17, 9:17, p. m. daily.

Accommodation for Quantico at 11:03 a. m. daily and 2.38 p. m. Saturdays. Night train leaves 11:48 p. m. daily for Fredericksburg and intermediate stations.

NOTE—Times of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

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SHOT BY STENOGRAPHER.

Fairmont Coal Operator Badly Injured—Assailant Wounds Self.

Fairmont, W. Va., Feb. 2.—Dan R. Lawson, secretary of the Central West Virginia Coal Operators Association, and district representative of The United States Fuel Administration, was shot and seriously wounded Thursday by Miss Velva Ferrell, a stenographer in an office in the same building with him. The girl then shot herself, the bullets taking effect in her side. She is not badly hurt. Lawson was shot in the back.

Lawson is married and his wife and four children live here. Miss Ferrell used a small calibre revolver. She is a daughter of Sant Ferrell, of Murray, W. Va. The affair has created a sensation. Miss Ferrell says that Lawson did not treat her fairly which led her to commit the deed.

"A SPLENDID TONIC"

Says Hixson Lady Who, On Doctor's Advice, Took Cardui And Is Now Well.

Hixson, Tenn.—"About 10 years ago I was..." says Mrs. J. B. Gadd, of this place. "I suffered with a pain in my left side, could not sleep at night with this pain, always in the left side...

My doctor told me to use Cardui. I took one bottle, which helped me and after my baby came, I was stronger and better, but the pain was still there.

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Don't allow yourself to become weak and run-down from womanly troubles. Take Cardui. It should surely help you, as it has so many thousands of other women in the past 40 years. Headache, backache, sideache, nervousness, sleeplessness, tired-out feeling, are all signs of womanly trouble. Other women get relief by taking Cardui. Why not you? All druggists.

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SALE IN CHARGE OF DRAFT.

Governor Stuart Grants Him indefinite Leave of Absence—Accepts Federal Commission.

Governor Stuart issued an order granting Adjutant-General W. W. Sale an indefinite leave of absence in order that he may assume charge as director-general of the "registration and selection for military service law" in the State of Virginia.

This order carries with it the privilege of accepting a commission in the Federal service.

Lieutenant-Colonel Jo Lane Stern assistant inspector-general of the Virginia State Volunteers, in addition to his present duties, was designated to act as Adjutant-General until further orders. Adjutant-General Stern received a telegram last night announcing the appointment of Major Sale as in charge of selective service in Virginia, reporting to Provost-Marshal-General Crowder. He will continue to have his headquarters in the Davis Building, at the office of the Adjutant-General.

The Adjutant-General of Virginia holds office until his successor has been appointed and qualified. It is expecte dthat Governor Westmoreland Davis will appoint the successor to Colonel Stern shortly.

EASILY DECIDED.

This Question Should be Answered Easily by Alexandria People.

Which is wiser—to have confidence in the opinions of your fellow-citizens, of people you know, or depend on statements made by utter strangers residing in far-away places? Read the following experience given by an Alexandria man.

W. Dawson, blacksmith, of 409 N. West St., says: "My back was so weak and sore that I could hardly pick anything off the floor. I couldn't straighten without taking hold of something and the pain was terrible when I got up in the morning. Sharp, shooting pains caught me in the small of my back and I thought I would have to give up. Finally I procured Doan's Kidney Pills from C. W. Summers' Drug Store. After finishing one box my back was all right and I could work all day and not feel any the worse for it."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Dawson had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

The Hand of Friendship

You are asked to contribute to the War Camp Community Recreation Fund because broad, national support is necessary to the success of the undertaking. You are really contributing hours of sunshine and recreative pleasure to the boys who are enroute to battlefield trenches. It is a very satisfying feeling to know that you, personally, have been instrumental in keeping these brave lads safer from moral harm than an army has ever been before. Your contribution buys the brighter side of warfare—dances in private homes, fellowship in clubs, athletic tournaments, choruses. It means that there will there be a SAFE place for that boy to go. Let there be material help in the outstretched hand of friendship.

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Small Lot Men's $1.75 and $2.00 Fancy Pajamas, special price, each $1.25
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Small Lot Men's $1.25 lined Gauntlets, special price, ... 98c
One Lot Men's 75c Fancy Neglige Shirts, some slightly soiled, special price, each 59c
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You Who Are Property Owners.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE TO CONSUMERS OF COAL

At the direction of the Fuel Administrator for Virginia, an order has been issued to the retail dealers of coal in this city and county, not to deliver coal to household consumers, in quantities in excess of two tons and then only when the consumer's supply on hand is two tons or less. This will make the maximum quantity of four tons at any one time. To larger consumers, deliveries are not to be made in quantities greater than the actual needs of the consumers for fifteen days, and then only when the consumer's supply on hand is less than their requirements for fifteen days. This will make the maximum quantity held by larger consumers at any one time, only sufficient for their actual needs for thirty days or less. Industries buying coal in carload lots must obtain special permit from the Fuel Administrator.

To make this order effective, and to relieve the dealer of the responsibility and difficulty of ascertaining the supply any consumer has on hand, it is arranged that an affidavit be furnished by the purchasers of coal in excess of one-half ton (this affidavit can be made by any member of the family over sixteen years of age.) These forms for making the affidavits will be in the hands of the dealers, and notaries and the affidavits will be taken without charge, by any one of the following notaries public, who have offered their services to aid the Commission in this work:

Miss Gladys M. Brooks, room 1, Alexandria National bank building, W. C. Drury, 107 south Royal street; J. T. Burke, Burke and Herbert; Miss Cora Duffey, Office, Clerk of Court; Courtland H. Davis, 121 south Royal street; Claude H. Crump, 1801 King street; M. L. Dinwiddie, Citizens National Bank; J. J. Green, First National Bank; E. J. Fleming, 119 south Fairfax street; A. C. Moss, Alexandria National Bank.

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Fuel Commission, Alexandria city and County.

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We respectfully direct your attention to the excellent assortment of Men's, Young Men's and Boys' Clothing, Hats and Haberdashery that we are showing, and ask your inspection.

Your patronage will be most highly appreciated and if at any time your purchases should prove unsatisfactory we will cheerfully refund your money.

We particularly call your attention to the following articles:

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Excellent quality Men's Lisle Hose heavy, medium and light weight, all colors, per pair 25c

A splendid assortment of Men's fine silk and lisle Hose pair 35c to $1.00

Men's Heavy ribbed Union Suits, $1.75 each.

Men's 2-piece ribbed underwear, 79c per garment.

Men's Woolen Union Suits .. $4.00

Men's Shirts $1.00 up, satisfactory wear and fast color guaranteed.

A complete line of Neckwear 25c up.

Men's Wash Shirts 75c up including a good assortment of flannels.

Men's Sweaters, all colors, $1.50 up.

Large assortment of Men's Overalls, including some of the best makes, $1.25 up.

Men's Working Gloves and Mittens from 15c up. A large assortment, all very moderately priced.

MEN'S CLOTHING

Our stock of Men's and young men's Heavy Suits and Overcoats offers an ideal assortment particularly adapted to the lateness of the season as the styles are conservative.

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Boys' 2-piece Underwear, Heavy fleece lined, including large sizes, 59c.

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Jan. 30, 1918.

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